

RESOLUTIONS OF  
LOYALTY AND SERVICE

In connection with the Mid-summer Council held in Takoma Park, Washington, D. C., July 9-15, 1918, the following resolutions were adopted by the representatives from all the union conferences of the United States.

1. We, the citizens of the United States, and as representatives of the

Seventh-day Adventist churches and conferences in America, assembled in Midsummer Council, July, 1918, believing that civil government is ordained of God, and believing in the principles of justice and liberty for which this Government has ever stood place on record anew a declaration of loyalty to our country, to its Government, and to the President, assuring

the Government that it has our hearty support and sympathy in this time of crisis.

2. While ever in our history we have been of noncombatant principles, by religious conviction, we believe, equally by the same religious conviction, that we shall render to our Government the lines of noncombatant service as defined by the President in his declaration of March 20th, 1918.

3. We recognize in the calls of our Government for its citizens to purchase bonds or to contribute to Red Cross or similar activities, the opportunity to give heed to the New Testament injunction to render honor and tribute to the civil authority, as well as opportunity to show loyalty to our country's common cause according to our financial ability.

4. We urge upon all our people hearty and conscientious support of the Government's program of conservation, not only in the matter of food production and saving, but in the exercise of economy and the spirit of sacrifice in harmony with the requirements of this time of war and scarcity.

5. We place on record our appreciation of the evident pains taken by camp authorities to have regard for the religious convictions of our young men in the matter of observing the seventh day as the Sabbath, and we counsel every member of our churches called by the draft to render faithful obedience and loyal service in camp or field, recognizing the fact that the inconvenience caused those in authority by our religious practice in this matter of the Sabbath makes it incumbent upon us to be the more conscientious and forward in performing work and duties assigned.

## COURT CALENDAR

Circuit Court convened for the October term Monday, with the following attorneys from out of town present:—Hon. G. W. Merriman and C. M. Van Riper of Hartford; Lynn J. Lewis of Bangor; F. C. Cogshall and James E. Chandler of South Haven; Lincoln H. Titus of Kalamazoo.

The Calendar for this term of Court was arranged and cases for trial will be taken up as follows:—

Tuesday, October 22nd.—Imparliament Cases.

Wednesday, October 23rd.—Wilson vs. Wilson.—Divorce.

Thursday, October 24th. W. R. Sellick vs. Arthur F. Sellick.—BNI to Enjoin.

Friday, October 25th.—Imparliament Cases.

Jury Cases will be taken up beginning on Monday, October 28th, as follows:—

No. 1 People vs. John Scanlin.—Embezzlement.

No. 2 People vs. Hiram Cameron.—Abandonment.

No. 3 People vs. Bert Campbell.—Larceny.

No. 4 People vs. George Reames.—Desertion.

No. 5 Cora Morrill vs. Earl R. Robinson.—Replevin.

No. 6 John Dorsey vs. Carl Wolfs.—Assumpsit.

Court will adjourn on Saturday, November 2nd, until Wednesday November 6th, on account of Tuesday being election day.

Balance of arrangement of the Calendar will be reported next week.

PROBATE COURT PROCEEDINGS  
Estates of:—

Lida Herman, dec'd. Final Account of Administration filed. Hearing November 18th.

Charles G. Pierce, dec'd. Petition for License to sell Real Estate filed. Hearing November 18th.

Sarah A. James, dec'd. Final Account filed. Hearing November 18th. Anna Shellenberger, dec'd. Petition for appointment of Administrator filed. Hearing November 18th.

Elias Smith, dec'd. Petition for Probate of Will filed. Hearing November 11th.

James S. Donahue, dec'd. Order closing hearing on claims. No claims filed against the estate.

Jennie Dupes, dec'd. No claims filed. Order closing hearing on claims.

Mary Britton, dec'd. No claims filed. Order closing hearing on claims.

Lydia Hatfield, incompetent. Order appointing Leonora J. Stockton guardian. Bond issued.

Cassius F. Dey, dec'd. No claims filed. Order closing hearing on claims.

Ernest M. Wilson. Order admitting to Kalamazoo State Hospital.

Phillip Bame, dec'd. Proof on Probate of Will filed. Order admitting Will to probate. Bond issued.

George Mason McNeil, dec'd. Commission to Take Testimony issued. Testimony on Proof of Will filed. Order Admitting Will to probate. Bond issued.

Rueben Van Curen, dec'd. Final account of Administrator filed. Waiver of Notice and Consent to Account filed. Order allowing Account and discharging Administrator.

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